

Morgantown Police Department

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"SUSPECTS ARRESTED ON DRUG CHARGES FOLLOWING SEARCH WARRANT"

On Saturday March 8, 2014, Officers of the Morgantown Police Department Special Response Team executed a search warrant at 609 Grant Avenue pursuant to an ongoing drug investigation being conducted by the Morgantown Street Crimes Unit in conjunction with the Monongalia Valley Drug Task Force.

Detectives with the Monongalia Valley Drug Task Force and Officers of the Morgantown Street Crimes Unit conducted a search of the residence and recovered:

- 100 Stamps of Heroin
- 14.1 grams of Crack Cocaine
- 1.7 grams of Cocaine
- 21.2 grams of Marijuana
- \$5,296.00 U.S. Currency

Charles Roy **MCFADDEN**, 46 Years of Age of Bronx New York was charged with Possession with Intent to Sell and Deliver Crack Cocaine, Possession with Intent to Sell and Deliver Cocaine and Possession with Intent to Sell and Deliver Marijuana.

Delvin **BALLANTINE**, 44 Years of Age of Columbus Ohio was charged Possession with Intent to Sell and Deliver Crack Cocaine, and Possession with Intent to Sell and Deliver Marijuana. **BALLANTINE** also has pending charges in Atlanta Georgia for Possession of Marijuana.

This case is pending further investigation and additional charges are possible.

The Morgantown Police Department is committed to its goal of eliminating crime in our city. Citizens are encouraged to become a "**Partner in Policing**", by reporting suspected criminal activity to Morgantown Police Department Switchboard at (304) 284-7522. If you need immediate Police attention or a crime is in progress call 911.

Ed Preston Chief of Police